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### TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and RICE.
Time Card No. 18, cancelling Timd Card No 7.
Taking effect Oct. 17th, 6 a. m.
MOUNTAIN TIME.

| No. 11. | | | No. 12 |
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| 9:00 a. m | Lv | Cutter | ‡Ar 6:15 a. m |
| 9:15 a. m | Ar | Gilson's | ‡Lv 6.00 a. m |
| 9:25 a. m | Lv | | ‡Ar 5:50 a. m |
| 10 00 a. m | Ar | Ricel | Lv 5:15 a. m |
| 10 10 a. m | Lv | | Ar 5:05 a. m |
| 11 50 a. m | Ar. | San Carlos | Lv. 4 25 p. m. |
| 11 10 a. m | Lv. | | Ar. 4 05 p. m |
| 11 45 p. m | | Dewey ‡ | 3 30 p.m |
| 12 30 p. m | Ar. | Geronimo | Lv. 2 45 p.m |
| 1 30 p.m | Lv | | Ar. 12 45 p.m |
| 1 55 p.m | Ar. | Fort Thomas ‡ | Lv. Ar12 20p.m |
| p.m | Lv. | | |
| 2 30 p.m | Lv. | Mathewsville ‡ | Lv11 45 am |
| 2 45 p.m | Ar. | Pima ‡ | Lv. Ar11 20 am |
| p.m | Lv. | | |
| 3 00 p.m | Lv. | Central ‡ | Lv11 10 am |
| 3 10 p.m | Lv. | Thatcher ‡ | Lv. 11 00am |
| 3 25 p.m | Ar. | Safford ‡ | Lv10 45 am |
| 3 40 p.m | Lv. | | Ar10 20 am |
| 4 05 p.m | Ar. | Solomon ‡ | Lv10 00 am |
| 4 20 p.m | Lv. | | Ar 9 45 am |
| 5 00 p.m | Lv. | Ball N Ranch ‡ | Lv. 9 17am |
| 5 15 p.m | Lv. | Big Wind Mill ‡ | Lv 9 04 am |
| 5 20 p.m | Lv. | 20 Mile Tank ‡ | Lv 9 00 a.m |
| 5 30 p.m | Lv. | Bailey's Wells ‡ | Lv 8 53 am |
| 6 05 p.m | Lv. | Summit Spur ‡ | Lv. 8 30 a.m |
| 6 45 p m | Ar. | Bowie ‡ | Lv. 8 00 am |

Trains Nos. 11 and 12 run daily exce[illegible] day. Trains Nos. 11 and 12 connect at Cutter with stage from and to Globe.

All south bound trains have absolute right o[illegible] track over all north bound trains of same or inferior class.

Trains Nos. 11 and 12 make connections at Bowie with Southern Pacific trains 19 and 20 for all points East and West.

‡ Stations have no agents.
† Telegraph Stations
The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

## Arizona and N. M. Railway,

### TIME TABLE:

| Going North | Distance from Lordsburg | No. Station | Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895 | Distance between stations | Going South |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| No 2 | | | | | No. 1 |
| 12 00 m | | 1 | †Lds'burg‡ | | 10 20a m |
| 1 00 p m | 20 | 2 | †Summit † | 20 | 9 20a m |
| 2 00 p m | 40 | 3 | Ar Duncan‡ | 20 | 8 20a m |
| 2 10 p m | ... | .. | Lv Duncan‡ | ... | 8 10a m |
| 2 35 p m | 47 | 4 | * † Sheid'n† | 7 | 7 45a m |
| 2 48 p m | 50 | 5 | * † Yorks † | 3 | 7 38a m |
| 3 05 p m | 55 | 6 | †Coronado † | 5 | 7 25a m |
| 3 25 p m | 59 | 7 | †Guthrie † | 4 | 7 16a m |
| 3 55 p m | 64 | 8 | *†siding † | 5 | 6 45a m |
| 4 00 p m | 66 | 9 | In Siding † | 2 | 6 40a m |
| 4 30 p.m | 71 | 10 | Ar Clifton † | 5 | 6 15a m |

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## LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

### Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

### DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERTising Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange Building, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight $900 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly $75 References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Herbert E. Hess Prest., Dept. M. Chicago.

Domestic 5 cts. per yard at John Blake & Co. tf.

There will be a dance in Jacobson's hall to-night. Pizarro's orchestra will furnish music.

**FRESH CANDY AT CASTLE'S, POST OFFICE STORE, SAFFORD.** tf.

Fine wines, liquors and cigars at John Blake & Co. tf

W. K. Dial arrived in Safford on Wednesday last and expects to settle here with his family. Mr. Dial is an attorney-at-law.

Eight pictures for $100 at the Star Gallery, Safford.

A fine line of clothing, $8.00 to $15.00 per suit, crash suits cheap, at John Blake & Co. tf

Dr. Brenner and his assistant, Dr. Deputy, left for Ft. Grant today. They will prctise dentistry there for a week, when they will return to Safford.

Peerless Ice Cream Freezers at Blake's. tf.

Miners supplies, tools, steel, powder, etc., at JohnBlake & Co.

Next Monday night a grand ball will be given in Robinson's hall at Thatcher. Prof. Pizzarra's orchestra will furnish the music. All are invited.

Dr. Green, office in Ijams' drug store. tf.

Fine groceries, dried and canned fruits, meats and fish at John Blake & Co. tf.

**LADIES** who wish to earn a Solid Gold Watch easily, will do well to write to the Leghorn Food Co., whose advertisement appears on the third page of this paper.

Blake has just received a car load of doors, windows and redwood, at McClure & Patterson's tf.

We are informed that the play produced by the St. David Elocution class last Thursday night was a grand success in every particular those taking the parts displaying great ability in that line.

Mining location notices and real estate deeds for sale at the GUARDIAN office tf.

Dr. C. L. Wish places his professional card in the GUARDIAN this week. Dr. Wish is too well known and has practised here too long to need recommendation from us.

$1,500 worth of harness and saddles bought for cash, will be sold cheap for cash, at John Blake & Co tf

The Sunday School and Primary association of Thatcher gave a dance to the children in Robinson's hall, last Tuesday night. Over 200 of the little tots were present and had a splendid time from 6 till 8 o'clock.

The Groebeck livery stable, located at the Groesbeck hotel, which by-the-way, is the best hotel in Graham county, is especially prepared to afford drummers and their luggage transportation. tf.

A. H. Austin was compelled to put an extra barber chair into his shop last week and employ an assistant barber. And even with so barbers busily engaged from morning till night, it was impossible for them to accommodate all the customers.

Ladies fine dress good, consisting of white goods, silks, lawns, Broderie Paris, dimity, Nun's veiling, percalis, cellon, ribbons, veiling, etc., at John Blake & Co. tf

Invitations were received this week announcing the marriage of Geo. W. Foster, formerly of Pima, to Miss Lillie Wright at Baker City, Oregon. This will be read with some surprise by George's old chums here.

The Safford Drug Co. have received a fine line of guitars, mandolines, violins, banjos, accordions and other musical instruments. tf.

U. S. volunteer soldiers in the late war are by law exempt from their share of required assessment work on unpatented mining claims. An affidavit setting forth the facts essential thereto must be filed with the recorder of the county in which the claim is situated before January 1, 1899.—*Pick and Drill.*

## TELLS OF THE FIGHT.

Captain McClintock Interviewed at Los Angeles—He Laid Twenty-four Hours Wounded.

Captain James H. McClintock, of Phœnix, was in Los Angeles Firday and Saturday last, and to a reporter for the Los Angeles *Times* said:

On the morning of June 24th Captain McClintock's active participation in the Cuban campaign ended.

"That was the first battle ever fought in the wolrd, said the Rough Rider, in which both sides used nothing but smokeless powder. The Spaniards were at a distance from our forces varying from fifty to six hundred yards. They were hidden behind earthworks and we were out in open, with nothing to even hide us but the long grass. It was impossible to tell from what place the bullets came which were spattering all around about us. The smokless powder cartridge makes no more flame than a sulphur match, and from a slight distance it is impossible to see that at all.

"Suddenly I felt an excruciating pain in my left ankle. I instantly dropped. It was so with every one who was shot, if only in the hand. Some men were seriously wounded, but felt no pain whatever. One soldier was shot through the lung. He did not suffer except that he felt a keen apprehension of internal hemorrhage.

"As I lay there on the ground some of my men came and picked me up and carried me under a mango tree where I would be sheltered from the sun, though not from the enemy's bullets. A private named Foster, sick and wounded, lay there beside me. Once I tried to move, merely to see how much strength I had. I found that I was too weak from loss of blood to raise or to move from where I lay.

"Don't try to move,' he said, 'You're as much sheltered there as you would be anywhere. I'm between you and the bullets.'

"He had deliberately crawled between me and the enemy's fire. Wasn't that an act of simple bravery? He had not realized that a Mauser bullet would have gone clean through his body and right on through me, too, and still been ready for half a company.

"The surgeons came up and did what could be done. They found that two bullets struck the front of my left ankle. I recollect only one shock, and so far as I know, the two must have entered my ankle simultaneously. There are two big holes clear through the ankle, and a swab could be pushed from back to front.

"There were surprisingly few deaths from blood poisoning. The bullets moved through the air with such speed that by the time they struck a man they were red hot from the friction, and consequently they cauterized the wound they made. In my case, some of the cloth of my clothing must have been carried in, for the wounds were fouled, and that prevented rapid healing.

"As I lay there the bullets kept on falling around me. They plowed up the ground all around and knocked up dirt until my hair was full of dust and pebbles. I couldn't help swearing, it was so annoying. Fully a dozen must have hit the ground between me and my comrades within arm's reach of me, but not one struck either of us.

"Edward Marshall, the war correspondent, came up and saw me lying there. 'You're in hard luck, old man,' he said, bending over me. He asked my name, and found out who I was, wrote it down, and then started off down the hill to follow my troopers. A few minutes later and he himself was shot in the spine.

"All that day and night we lay under the mango tree. I had a mackintosh for covering, and the thick foliage of the tree kept off the dew. During the day the land crabs kept skurrying around us, and when night came it turned cold."

"Were you given any nourishment?"

"No, I did not eat anything for two weeks—or about as near to nothing as is possible.

"When morning came I was picked up and placed on a piece of canvas shelter tent. Eight men started to carry me to the seacoast 12 miles away. The improvised litter wasn't long enough, so my head hung over the rear end. Every eight minutes the men who were carrying me would change off with another set. Each time they did this my body had to rest for a moment on the ground, and the jar was exquisite agony.

"About half way to the coast we met a litter going to the rear. The men took and transferred me to the more comfortable conveyance.

"As we drew near the coast we reached the top of a high ridge. It was a beautiful view. The mountains, wooded and green, stretching down the purple sea, the streams, and the tropical vegetation. When we reached the town I found that I was to be taken out of the hospital ship, the Olivette. There was a wretched little wharf, which ran out only a few feet into the ocean, and from this I was lowered into a boat. The surf was so high that the boats did not land. They came in to the end of the wharf. Men waded out into the water and held the boats as steady as possible. Othermen lowered me from the wharf, and when the boat rose on the crest of the wave I was dropped into the craft, and then rowed out to the ship, where by a similar process I was lifted on board."

"When the surgeons went to work on me they found that an inch of nerve, muscle and tendon had been shot away in my ankle. Muscle and nerve are elastic, and will grow out and together, but the tendon is inelastic, and that has been the difficulty in attending to my wound. A plaster cast was placed on my leg and taken off daily to have the wound dressed. While the vessel bobbed up and down on the waves a steward had to stand with both feet braced, and during all the time the cast was off, pull my leg with all his might. If he should let go a moment it would shorten up and stay so, and on a rolling ship this kind of leg pulling was ticklish, and not pleasant.

"The surgeons used to come around and say cheerfully; "If you had got shot four years ago we would have been obliged to cut your leg off." The marvelous advance in antiseptic surgery in recent years has brought about a great change in the number of legs and arms lost in war."

"For twenty days we cruised up and down the coast, taking on men all the time from the shore. In this way we kept ourselves informed of what was going on on shore. Each new-comer would add something to the story. The food supply was not the choicest, and an order to get what they though I would like, the privates who were taking care of me did not scruple to steal anything they could get their hands on. Hearst came along and gave us several tons of ice, and, with limes from on shore and distilled water, I had iced lemonade all the time, and made my cabin a rendezvous for the officers of the Olivette. After twenty days of this we were taken to New York and there landed in civilization again."

Captain McClintock also related the circumstances of the hoisting of the Rough Rider's flag on the blockhouse at Baiquiri.

## SHOT IN THE ARM.

Two Well Known Men Engage in Duel.

We learn of an unpleasent difficulty which took place at Thomas, last Friday. The main facts as far as we are able to learn are these:

Young Joe Hinton and Jack Reed had a shooting scrape in which Jack got shot in the arm, the bullet ranging downward and coming out of the hand. Two holes were in the hand, one being caused by a bone becoming dislocated, it is supposed.

Reed shot at his antagonist also, but missed him and hit a horse in the neck, killing it.

Some claim that Reed shot first while the opposite opinion, that Hinton fired the first shot, also is held.

We have been unable to learn the cause of the shooting, except by rumor, which has it that at a dance sometime previous the two men had an altercation, and that Reed was struck over the head with a six shooter, and the shooting is supposed to be the result of that.

It is reported that Hinton was plared under a $300 bond to appear at the next term of court.

## AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

The Arizona Comedy Company Played to a Full House.

Last Saturday evening the Arizona Comedy Company produced their beautiful comedy drama, "Uncle Dan'l, or a Messenger from Jarvis Section," to a crowded house.

The piece was rendered in a way to win the applause and admiration of all. The players all had their lines thoroughty committed and rehearsed and played their parts well. The only bad feature was the house being uncomfortably cold.

On account of numerous requests from those present as well as a large number not present the, company has decided to repeat the same play to-morrow night in Robinson's hall instead of playing in Thatcher as intended.

Since playing last, two stoves have been placed in the hall and to-morrow night it will be comfortable.

## EMBRACE BRYANISM.

Andrew Carnagie Sees Danger in Imperialism and Militarism.

"I want you to come to see me; I would go to you, but I am sick and unable to leave the house. I believe you to be the only man in this country to-day who can save us from the twin evils of imperialism and militarism."

The above is from a letter written by Andrew Carnegie to William Jennings Bryan.

Mr. Bryan's hurried visit to New Yoak a week ago was rendered remarkable by the fact that three prominent public men, all of whom opposed him bitterly in 1896, expressed an ardent desire to see him and hear from his own lips his views on the national issue of the hour.

The three men referred to were Andrew Carnegie, Rev. Parkhurst and Vandyke. Mr. Carnegie made three vain attempts to meet Mr. Bryan. He found his opportunity at last in New York. There were no witnesses present, but it was larned from a reliable source that the conversation was mainly confined to the topics of imperialism and militarism, which it is said, Mr. Carnegie declared to be the most imminent danger now confronting the great republic.

Mr. Carnegie, it is said, declared that the first steps towards the destruction of the republic would be taken when the government, in order to maintain its hold upon newly acquired territory, should establish the precedent of maintaining a great standing army.

Mr. Carnegie characterized the scheme as a Frankenstein which would surely arise in its might and crush its creator. The increase of the number of the country's regular soldiers would, he said, introduce a new element into the country—an element which in the future would eave to be reckoned with.

The interviews with Drs. Parkhurst and Vandyke are no less remarkable as showing a complete change of feeling on the part of these eminent clergymen.

## CONSOLIDATED NATIONAT BANK AT TUCSON, ARIZONA.

Report to the Comptroller of the Currency of its Condition at the Close of Business December, 1st, 1898.

RESOURCES

| | |
|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | $212,820 25 |
| United States bonds | 13,500 00 |
| Bonds and warrants | 28,481 38 |
| Real estate - | 3,197 25 |
| CASH | |
| On hand - - | $65,198 41 |
| With other banks | 128,503 13 |
| Total cash - | $193,701 54 |
| | $451,699 42 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Capital stock paid up | $50,000 00 |
| Surplus and profits | 12,253 87 |
| National bank notes | 11,250 00 |
| DEPOSITS | |
| Of individuals, firms and corporations | $372,471 92 |
| Of other banks - | 4,723 63 |
| Total deposits | $378,195 55 |
| | $451,699 42 |

Comparative Deposits at corresponding dates:

1895, $109,215.60; 1896, $182,842.72; 1997, $353,933.91; 1898, $378,195.55.

While the conduct of the business of the bank should be dictated by great care and prudence, a spirit of liberality is not incompatible with true banking principles. This continues to be this bank's theory and policy.


Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remidies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Sold by druggists, priece 75 cts.
Hall's family pills are the best.


C. Layton & Co. have just received a large assortment of ladies capes, cloaks and caps which they are selling at bedrock prices. tf.

**A COMPLETE LINE OF STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES AT H. L. CASTLE'S POST OFFICE STORE, SAFFORD.** tf.

## NEWSPAPER WOMEN OF THE FUTURE.

Higher Grade of Work and Less Sensational Exploitations Will be Demanded.

"Touching the sensational reporting formerly done by women, it may be said that such work has had its day," writes Elizabeth G. Jordan in the January *Ladies' Home Journal*. "Women no longer go down in diving costumes, nor go up in balloons, nor fall in front of cable cars to test the practical working of the fenders. In justice to the women reporters who did work of that kind, it should be added that many of them—indeed the majority of them—were good and modest girls, who accepted such assignments under protest, and only because the editor called on them for the work and their living depended on their aquiecing. With the passing of the sensational specials should be chronicled the decline of the woman'scolumns and the woman's departments. They, also, have had their day.

"To meet those and other changes, the newspaper woman of the twentieth century will be a new type, and much will be expected of her. She will be a well educated, well balanced, cool-headed and practical young person, with a body as carefully trained as her mind. She will know more about the English than do most of her sisters of to-day, yet not a bit more than she will need to know. The newspaper woman of the future will have passed the experimental stage of her professional work. Concessions to her will be no longer made, excuses for her no longer accepted. She will be out of the ranks of the amateurs and in the line with professionals. She must stand or fall by the same tests as are given the man at the desk beside hers."

### Christmas at Thomas.

The public school at Ft. Thomas had a school exhibition and the school and people had a rare treat in way of a Christmas tree on the 25th.

The piece exhibited was to illustrate the Deestrick Skule of fifty years ago. The boys and girls were dubbed with old fashioned names and our friend Warren, went by the appropriate name of Prof. Snotgrass.

The young folks acted with great tact the parts allotted them and made the older children from 25 to 65 feel good.

The tree loaded with its presents and brillient lights was a glory and "sweet youngestrs looked love to eyes that spake again."

All went merry as a marriage-bell, especially when Santa Claus caught gre and was compelled to shed his hairy reindeers suit and false face, desclosing the nacked features of Alexander Bros. new clerk.


### The Sure La Grippe Cure.

There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief.

They act directly on your liver, stomach and kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale by all dealers in drugs and general merchandise.


### Shot in the Foot.

Last Friday a lot of boys were playing with a 22-caliber, magizine rifle in Moody & Damrons store at Thatcher. They cocked it and snapped it at each other several times, thinking it contained no loads. Finally Edwin Moody worked the magizine portion of the gun and pointed at Arthur Woolsey's foot and pulled the trigger. The gun went off and the ball entered the top of the foot in the instep and lodged near the surface of the bottom of the foot.

Dr. Wish was called and he and Dr. Green extracted the ball, and the patient is getting along nicely.

This is another case of "didn't know it was loaded," and should be a lesson to boys in the habit of playing with fire arms.

Pains in the chest when a person has a cold indicate a tendency toward pneumonia. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the chest over the seat of pain will promptly relieve the pain and prevent the threatened attack of pneumonia. This same treatment will cure a lame back in a few hours. Sold by all dealers in medicine.*

Buckingham &Hecht and Hamilton, Brown Co. boots and shoes the best obtainable at lowest cash prices at John Blake & Co. tf

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The regular monthly Priesthood meeting will convene in the Academy at Thatcher, Satuaday, Dec. 31st, at 1 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

ANDREW KIMBALL,
W. D. JOHNSON,
C. M. LAYTON,
Stake Presidency.

## ACADEMY COLUMN.

Edited by the Students of the St. Joseph Stake Academy.

The students of Rhetoric entertained the school with an interesting debate last Monday on the relative virtues of Prohibition and High License from a point of political economy. The speakers on Prohibition were, Miss Preshie Posey, Mr. Geo. Roach and Miss Maud Pace. The High License speakers were Messrs. D. H. Major, Chas. McRae and Ralph Lucas. The argument on Prohibition was opened by Miss Posey and the High License was opened by Mr. Major.

The speaches were splendid and the arguments brought forward were worthy of people with older heads. Keep up with the good work.

An election was held Wednesday to elect the city officers for the Academy city, two tickets were in the field, the Prohibition party and the High License party, the students were very enthusiastic over the voting, "A la citizen." At 3 o'clock the returns were in. The Prohibition ticket was elected with the exception of one and it was a tie.

The subject in Pedagogics was "Corporal Punishment." Solomon: "The rod and reproof give wisdom but a child left to himself brings his mother to shame." Whom the Lord loves, he corrects, even as the father corrects the son in whom he delights."

Anna C. Brackett. "Physical pain is the poorest way to accomplish the end which we should aim at in all our punishments. Its proper use is with animals who cannot be reasoned with in any other way, and with children for so long a time as they are animals. For offenses arising from the animal nature, corporal punishment is the proper correction, and it is much to be regretted that the whipping post has been entirely abolished, for no punishment could be more appropriate for the man who deliberately insults a woman either by word or deed."

To-night is our Christmas ball.

There is a growing interest manifested in our Academy and the students are better qualified to concentrate their mind upon the studies.

Education should be a training to promote insight, power of thought and facility in acquiring knowledge; perception, not memory should be cultivated; and as the student can advance only by his own endeavors, he should be lead through such a course of labor and original thought that he may come out an independent thinker as well as a thorough scholar in such branches of education as he has inclination for.

It is hoped that during the Holiday vacation the students will have an enjoyable time, and at the beginning of the New Year they will start with renewed energy and determination.

The studedts in German are now able to translate simple sentences from English into German.

The Hygienic class for young men is now delving into the mysteries of bone building. We expect in the near future to see the shingles of some new M. D's in town.

They are practicing for the entertainment to be given after the holidays and are making good progress.

Elders Naegle and Spilsbury of Mexico visited the Academy one day this week.

After the returns of the voting were in, the writer was pleased to see a High License man pull down the High Licence ticket and stamp it under his feet.

### The Cold Snap Accounted For.

A Hassayampan yesterday accounted for the recent unprecedented weather, says the Phoenix *Republican*. He lays it on the eastern people who have been coming in from the north since the cold weather began. "They come here," he said, "loaded down with furs, heavy overcoats and cloaks. They act as if they were inviting atmospheric opposition. Weather naturally adjusts itself to prevailing conditions, so, as might have been expected, it got up an [illegible] ment to meet the views of the tourists and make them feel that the money they had spent for heavy clothing had not been [illegible] and unprofitably [illegible]

Eight pictures for $100 at the Star Gallery, Safford.

# The Guardian

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ENGLAND proposes to make Jamaica another key to the Nicaraguan Canal. At this rate after awhile it will have as many keys as locks.

AT a recent launching of a rich man's yatch $300,000,000 was present on the christening platform. In fact, the vessel itself was built on stocks.

In the Tucson *Citizen* asort of parallel circumstance to Queen Lil's wanting $6,000,000 for her crown is that in other respects she also lays claim to a fine large figure.

ADMITTING that a right knowledge of forestry generaly has economic value for us, there is also a science in the study of the Christmas tree and its various branches.

AT Grenada, Spain, a mob of Spanish women stoned the statue of Columbus because the discovery of America was the principal cause of Spain's misfortunes. An eastern paper remarks that it will be next in order for them to revile Adam as being responsible for all the ills of the human race.

"Tis sixty years since" Coleridge in his "Table Talk" made the following observation, which is at least partly justified by recent history:

"The severest naval discipline is always found in the ships of the freest nations; and the most lax discipline in the ships of the most oppressed. Hence the naval discipline of the Americans is the sharpest, then that of the English, then that of the French,(I speak as it used to be) and on board a Spanish ship there is no discipline at all."

## CHURCH BONDS.

The *Deseret News* says: In consequence of the financial condition of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, occassioned by the tedious and expensive litigation over the Church property, the the difficulties which had to be contended with during the protracted prosecutions under the laws of Congress and the peculiar constructions of the courts in their enforcemont, and other circumstances of an adverse nature, which for several years surrounded the Church, it has been compelled to borrow money from time to time, thus creating a debt which it is desirable as soon as possible to liquidate.

Money at a reasonable rate of interest has been offered to the Church from outside sources, but it was deemed better that an opportunity should be given to our own people to advance means for this purpose. This matter has been in contemplation for some time and has been carefully considered, with a view to the interest of the Church and the benefit of individuals.

The Presiding Authorities have therefore determined to issue bonds, running for a period of eleven years and bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum–fifteen hundred to be of the demoination of one hundred dollars each, numbered consecutively from one to fifteen hundred: two hundred of the denomination of five hundred dollars each, numbered consecutively from one to two hundred; and two hundred and fifty of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, numbered consecutively from one to two hundred and fifty, the whole issue aggregating five hundred thousand dollars, all bearing date of December 31, 1898.

The security for the payment of these bonds and the interest thereon, will be the pledge of the Trustee-in-Trust for and in behalf of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, made to each of the holders of such bonds and also to Lewis S. Hills and David Echles, who are constituted trustees to act for the said bondholders that enough money to pay the interest on the bonds on the first days of July and January in each year after the first day of January, 1899, shall be deposited at the Deseret National Bank, and that at least fifty thousand dollars from the income of the said Church shall be deposited with the said trustees each year after the year 1900, to provide for the purchase of a portion of the bonds or to create a fund for their redemption. Thus arrangements will be effected by which the entire amount to pay for the principal and interest on the bonds will have been deposited in the term of eleven years. The bonds, however, will be subject to redemption in five years from the date thereof.

The Church has an income which will secure, undoubtedly, the payment of all its liablities, including the interest on these bonds and the principal according to their face, and its assets at the present time are fully equal in value to its indebtedness, apart from its assured income. The Church has always been solvent, and the necessity for borrowing funds has been caused by the pressure of circumstances which were forced upon it.

The bonds, which will be offered on the first of January, 1899, may be purchased by any persons who desire to invest in them. They should be taken by residents of United. The Latter-day Saints who can purchase one or more of these bonds will find them a safe and profitable investments. Their issuance will enable the the Trustee-in-Trust to settle liabilities carrying a heavy rate of interest, and this will make a considerable saving to the Church. The interest and principal will be paid in gold coin, and the Church, through its Trustee-in-Trust, will be full security for their redemption.

Application for the bonds should be made to Lorenzo Snow, Trustee in-Trust.

## HOW IT APPEARED TO HIM.

The coxswain to Rear Admiral Montijo, who was in the battle of Manila bay, is confined to his bed now, in Manila, from the effects of having his leg amputated: to the two American officers who visited him, he gave the following account of what he saw in that battle:

"May the Virgin prevent my ever witnessing such scenes as I looked upon on the morning of that terrible first of May. Then that accursed second ship of your fighting column (Baltimore) came abreast of our line. One of her big shells struck right abaft our sheet anchor, on the port side, penetrating the forcastle, where it exploded, killing twelve men and horribly wounding many others. Another struck the galley, sending a perfect rain of broken iron and red hot coals into our broadside guns' crews, leaving a dozen men weltering in their blood in the gangway. Another tore our steam steering engine away, wounding many men, while the ship remained motonless for a half hour. Another exploded right over the ammunition room, which had to be flooded to keep it from blowing up, as cartridges were already beginning to explode. The most horrible of all these horrors was when one of your large projectiles entered the wardroom which was reeking with blood and filled with the cries of the wounded. It destroyed every living thing and started a fire which could not be controlled, and in a few minutes we were compelled to sink the Cristina in shoal water before her magazines and shell rooms exploded, as she was on fire fore and aft and our only safety lay in abandoning her. As I hauled down the admiral's flag, by his express order, I turned and found him standing alongside of me, the tears streaming down his face, looking sadly at his burning ship and mangled men. He turned and said to his chief of staff, Captain Cadars. "Terrible! terrible! terrible!"

"As he turned to get into the boat a rapid fire shell struck Captain Cadars in the chest, literally blowing him to pieces and strewing the gangway with his dismembered body. I ran forward to assist a shipmate, when I was hurled violently to the deck, and knew no more until the next morning, when I found myself a cripple for life, lying in the hospital at Cavite. Good-day, senors, and many thanks for your kindly hospitality, and I shall be pleased to return it if you honor me with a call."

THE last signature to be placed upon the treaty of peace was that of the Hon. Whitelaw Reid. From a barefoot school boy, without the influence of wealth or name, more than that of the humblest citizen of our land, he has risen step by step to a position where to-day the last stroke of his pen, made on behalf of his country, banishes forever from the western world, the once proudest, most powerful nation of earth. The thought is an ennobling one to American citizenship.—Phoenix *Herald*.

IT seems that a standing army of 100,000 is also to include the number needed to sit down on the unruly in our new possessions.

### Information Wanted.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of A. F. Walker, will confer a favor and receive a suitable reward by communicating the information to WILLIAM HAYWOOD, Geronimo, Arizona.

Arizona and New Mexico papers please copy.

## EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

William E. Curtis notes with astonishment that of the 6,000 colored school children who paraded before President McKinley very few were black. Mr. Curtis should now set to work with this fact as a basis and prove that the color line is rapidly disappearing in the south.—*Gazette.*

The republican members of the legislature are by their platform committed to the enactment of a law providing for the initiativeand referendum. The principle is so absolutely in harmony with the principles of popular government that there will be no tenable grounds for any democrat refusing to support the measure. This state of facts makes it certain that the measure will become a law through the next Arizona legislature.—*Star.*

Newspap[illegible] advocate democratic [illegible] very short sighte[illegible] themselves to be drawn into the discussion of territorial e[illegible] by the republicans, who invite a new issue that they hope may overshadow and weaken the cause of free silver coinage. The acquisition of the Spanish islands accentuates the need of silver coinage of the United States. The principal, and in fact, almost the only money in circulation in the Philippines, Porto Rico and Cuba, is silver, and the supply is greatly inadequate to the demands of business. The question of money for these islands is one which congress will have to meet, and the practical solution of which is to be found in the generous coinage of silver, in doing which we would be employing a home product and enriching our own people, not alone the producers of silver, but the wage earners in almost every industry throughout our broad land. In the United States proper, there is not enough silver in circulation for the convenient transaction of business, and all that our mints could coin would be readily absorbed into the channels o[illegible] The democratic pa[illegible] ed to the Chicago p[illegible] which the silver plat[illegible] and on this platf[illegible] stand in 1900. Sil[illegible] s.—*Silver Belt*

New Mexico and Arizona are not alone in their clamorous appeal f r statehood. Oklahoma is pushing to the front, and together with her assertion that the territory has 350,000 population and every natural advantage for the building of a state no less important than Ohio, comes the suggestion that the admission of Oklahoma would give the republicans two more senators in cogress, and that the permanent control of the state would probably be with the republicans. Oklahoma is a section of our vast country about which we all have much to learn. In this fast moving west conditions change and improve far faster than opinions and deeply imbedded ideas and prejudices of the people are modified. It is easier for most people to think of Oklahoma as a tough country covered with mud and lath shacks, defended from squatters and intruders by means of rifles and shot guns, than as a modern community, having a complete school system and numerous brick and stone buildings of note. New Mexico and Arizona are similarly handicapped, and while this idea persists in the east space writers will reap a harvest, and the "tough" story writer will always find a suitable setting for his trash.—El Paso *Herald.*


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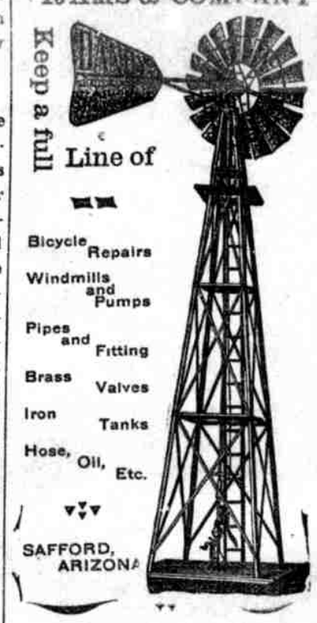


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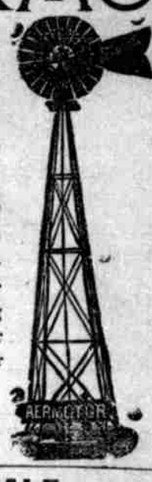

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| Mon | ... | San Francisco...ar | 8:45p | Tues |
| | | Mojave..... | 3:15a | Tues |
| Tues | ... | San Diego.....ar | 1 00p | Tues |
| Tues | ... | Los Angeles...ar | 8:35a | Tues |
| Tues | ... | ...ar | 12:45a | Tues |
| Tues | ... | ...angeles...ar | 5:30p | Mon |
| Wed | ... | Cherman...ar | 3:30p | Mon |
| Wed | ... | Ash Fork....lv | 12 45p | |
| Mon | ... | Chicago.....ar | 9:00p | Wed |
| Mon | ... | St. Louis.....ar | 6:15p | Wed |
| Tues | ... | Kansas City..ar | 7:05a | Wed |
| Wed | ... | Denver.....ar | 5:00p | Tues |
| Wed | ... | Albuquerque...ar | 10:25p | Mon |
| Thu | ... | Gallup.....ar | 4:45p | Mon |
| Thur | ... | Flagstaff....ar | 10:40a | Mon |
| Thur | ... | Ash Fork....lv | 8:10a | Mon |

| Southbound No. 1 Mixd Pass Lve Daily | STATIONS. | Northbound No. 2 Lmtd Pass Lve Daily |
|---|---|---|
| 12.20p | Ash Fork Arrive | 7:35a |
| 12.40p | Seligman | 6:43a |
| 1.45p | Jerome Junction | 5:35a |
| 2.10p | Arrive Prescott Leave | 4:40a |
| 2.15p | Leave Prescott Arrive | 4:25a |
| 3.45p | Bagdad | 3:35a |
| 4.20p | Yarnell | 2:58a |
| 4.30p | Peeples Valley | |
| 5.05p | Kirkland | 2:33a |
| 5.20p | Congress Junction | 12:55a |
| 5.40p | Wickenburg | 12:17a |
| 6.10p | Hot Springs Jct. | 11:47p |
| 7.00p | Morristown | 10:50p |
| 7.15p | Peoria | 10:27p |
| 7.40p | Glendale | 10:15p |
| 8.00p | Phoenix | 10:00p |
| 8.30p | Arrive Tucson Leave | 10:00p |

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| Stations | East Bound | West Bound |
|---|---|---|
| El Paso | 12:00 a m | 2:35 p m |
| Deming | 1:40 a m | 5:30 |
| Lordsburg | 3:50 a m | 7:35 a m |
| Wilcox | 5:30 a m | 5 55 |
| Benson | 8:35 a m | 11:3 |
| TUCSON | Ar. | 1:25 |
| | Lv. | 1:40 |
| Casa Grande | | 4:08 |
| Maricopa | | 4.41 |
| Gila Bend | | 6:15 |
| Yuma | | 10:40 a m |
| Los Angeles | | 1:50 p m |
| San Francisco | | At 10:30 a m |

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| | | | a. m. | p. m. |
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| | | ...ix ... Lv | 8.15 | 3.30 |
| 9.40 | 5.00 | Tempe | 8.35 | 4.00 |
| 9.55 | 5.10 | Mesa ... Ar | 9.00 | 4.30 |
| No. 1. | | | | No. 2. |
| 7.30 p m | daily | Phoenix.....ar | | 7.50 a m |
| 8.00 p m | | Tempe..... | | 7.10 a m |
| 8.15 p m | | Peterson..... | | 7.00 a m |
| 8.50 p m | | Cashion..... | | 6.45 a m |
| 9.30 p m | | Tolleson..... | | 6.20 a m |
| 9.45 p m | lat | Maricopa.....lv | | 6.00 a m |

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

| East bound | | | From | East |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10.00 p m | daily | Maricopa.....ar | | 5.37 a m |
| 3.00 p m | | Casa Grande..... | | 3.55 p m |
| 4.20 p m | | Tucson..... | | 3.25 p m |
| 8.20 p m | | Benson..... | | 2.35 p m |
| 12.45 p m | | Bowie..... | | 4.40 p m |
| 11.50 a m | | San Antonio..... | | 8.30 a m |
| 5.50 p m | | Deming..... | | 8.20 a m |
| 8.50 p m | | New Orleans..... | | 10.0 a m |
| 10.45 p m | | Washington..... | | 4.20 p m |
| 6.15 a m | | New York..... | | |

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| East bound | | | From East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 3.10 p m | daily | El Paso..... | 10.15 a m |
| 4.30 p m | | Dallas..... | 6.50 p m |
| 7.15 p m | | St. Louis..... | 9.40 p m |
| 7.15 a m | lat | Chicago.....lv | 9.10 p m |

SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

| From West | | | West bound |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10.00 p m | daily | Maricopa.....lv | 5.37 a m |
| 3.00 p m | | Yuma..... | 11:20 a m |
| 8.15 a m | | Los Angeles..... | 9:20 a m |
| | | Fresno..... | 11:10 a m |
| 8.00 a m | | San Francisco..... | 6.45 a m |
| 4.00 p m | | Portland..... | 8:30 a m |
| 9.00 a m | lv | Seattle.....ar | 6.05 p m |

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# For President 1900,

## WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 30, 1898

A HAPPY New Year to all.

CHRISTMAS passed of quietly and merrily.

ALL should turn over a new leaf next Sunday.

ALFALFA will become a luxury in the Gila valley before hay is cut again.

THE people of Safford should undoubtedly incorporate the town before spring comes.

THE boys are beginning to make good resolutions, to go into effect Sunday, the 1st.

Roadmaster O'Bryan is ending his term by doing a lot of good work on the county road.

THE bridge across the sandwash between here and Solomonville is a long felt want satisfed.

ALL the county officers, elected on November 8th, will take their seats on Tuesday next.

NEWCOMERS are arriving so fast that it is a difficlut matter to keep track of them.

THE year 1899 promises to be one of more prosperity for the people of Graham county than was 1898.

THE Board of Supervisors have been in session all week, setting up the county's business preparatory to turning over the office to the newly elected board, who will take their seats on Tuesday next.

ABOUT 200 men and teams will be at work on the Enterprise canal next week. If such a force as this turns out, and it is believed that it will equal that, at least two miles of canal will be finished each day, where heavy cuts and fills do not occur. This force would complete the Enterprise canal by March.

THE GUARDIAN enters upon the year 1899 in far better condition than it has ever been heretofore. It is growing in strength daily, and will be able to give its patrons a better paper during the year 1899 than in 1898. Our idea is progression. We will always be abreast of the times. We thank our friends for past patronage and will make it our aim to deserve an increased patronage each year.

THE contest case of McGowan vs Jones was heard by Judge Doan last Thursday but so far as we have been able to learn,no decision has yet been rendered. A good deal of speculation is being indulged in as to the probable result, nearly all of the attorneys holding that Mr. Jones was eligible, as according to a recent ruling of the Attorney General of the United States, a man in the volunteer service is not a soldier who can be prevented from holding a civil office. On the other hand, one or two contend that the office will be declared vacant, as it is conceded that McGowan cannot hold the office by means of an election. The people elected Mr. Jones because they desired his services as distrct attorney, and we believe he will win the case.

WE hardly think the sweeping accusation made by the *Bulletin* two weeks ago against the jurymen of Graham county, justifiable. It is true that in the history of the county a large number of criminals have been turned loose. It is also true that in almost every important criminal case the regular panel of jurymen is exhausted without securing a jury. According to tests generally made a man who reads the news papers and keeps up with the times becomes ineligible to act as a juryman in nine out of every ten important cases. We believe that the officers whose duty it is to secure the juries try to secure the most honest, honorable and upright men in the county and as a general thing the men selected try to do their duty. It often occurs, however, where one man will prevent a verdict, and to accuse the other eleven of preventing justice being done is certainly not a fair.

THERE is considerable talk of passing a high peddler's license in the coming session of the Legislature. If this is attempted great care should be exercised in drawing the bill in order that its provisions will not cut the wrong way. It would be a good law that would prevent the "cheap John" peddler, the one who swindles people on shoddy jewelry etc., from peddling his wears, but in reaching him and protecting the merchant, legitimately engaged in business, precautions should be taken not to prevent the farmer, gardener, orchardist etc., from peddling his produce, or those who may buy for peddling purposes A large number of our agriculturists get most of their cash by either peddling their produce personally or selling it to people who make a livelihood by peddling the same. It would prove an injustice and a great hardship to a large number of our best citizens to take this right from them. We should like very much to see a law passed to reach the kind of peddlers first named but we do not want to see the farming community crippled at the same time.

THE Enterprise canal when completed, will prove a great factor in preventing dams washing away from other canals, lower down, during high water, for such a large stream can be turned into that canal that it will greatly break the force of high water.

THE Arizona Comedy Company did itself proud last Saturday night in "Uncle Dan'l," and will repeat the play next Saturday night at Thatcher.

### THE RACES.

**Fun at the Race Track—A Good Crowd Attends.**

Last Satudrdy and Monday were devoted to racing in Safford. The tracks were quite heavy on account of being wet from recent storms but some good running was done notwithstanding this fact.

In the free-for-all 300 yard race, Mr. Ealey's black mare took first money and Joe McKinney's horse took the second prize, as was also the case in the half mile dash.

The first prize in the sadle horse race was won by Jas. Kennedy's horse, second by Will Freeman's horse, third by Tump Freeman's horse and fourth by Jesus Asavai da's horse.

**Fists vs Knife.**

Last Friday night at the dance in Robinson's hall a row was engaged in in which a young man named Pursley got his face badly damaged and Thos. Moody got a severe cut in the left arm with a pocket knife.

It appears that young Pursley called Moody several names to which Tom laid no claim and he proceeded to disfigure Pursley's face, which he did in a most artistic manner. After this had been accomplished and Pursley regained his feet, he commenced the carving process with a Jack knife. No arrests were made.

The Pursley referred to is no relation to Jas. Pursley of this place.

**Needed Papa's Consent.**

A few days since one of Safford's young bloods got a good load of whiskey aboard and thought that he wanted to get married. He persuaded his sweet-heart to accompany him to Solomanville, when he said they would be married. Everything went along smoothly till the magistrate asked the girl's age. On learning that she was only 16 and did not have papa's consent, he informed them that they would have to postpone the wedding day a few years longer.

**Party for the Old Folk.**

The young ladias of Thatcher are giving a dinner and party for the old folks of that town in Robinson's hall to-day.

All over 40 years of age are invited guests and it is safe to say they will have an enjoyable time, for none know better how to make the old people at home, comfortable and enjoy themselves than the young ladies.

**For Disbarment.**

On Wednesday last papers were filed with District Court Clerk Dysart for the disbarment of John McGowan, on the charge of unprofessional conduct. The forged Ainsworth letter will figure prominently in this case, and those who claimed, on election day, to have seen the original and genuine letter will have an opportunity of testifying to it.

### MARRIED.

NASH — BASSET: — On Sunday, Dec. 25th, George Nash and Miss Edith Basset, both of Safford, were united in marriage, Rev. F. W. Downs, officiating.

**Wood Wanted.**

For the next thirty days, those who are owing subscription to the GUARDIAN may pay the same in wood.

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**The Best Offer Yet.**

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**A Narrow Escape.**

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cold set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. I gave it a trial took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at all dealers in drugs and general merchandise.

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Dr. Green, office in Ijams' drug store. tf.

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### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

**Homestead Entry No. 1674**

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZONA, Nov. 17, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Ariz., on January 7, 1899, viz:

Silas P. Jenkins for Lot 3 and S E ¼ of N W ¼, Sec 4, Tp 7 S, R 25 E, G. and S. R. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Oscar Tyler, Andrew J. Shifflette, Thomas G. Webster, Lorenzo Cutler, all of Central, Graham County, Arizona.

MILTON R. MOORE, Register.

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### Notice for Publication.

**Pre-emption No. 2730.**

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZONA, November 23rd, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on Monday, January 9th, 1899, viz:

Lyman E. Wightman, Mayor of the Village of Pima, Graham County, Arizona, in trust for the inhabitants of said Village of Pima, or the N E ¼ of the S E ¼, Sec 25, Tp 6 S, R 24 E; 40 acres for cemetery purposes.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Hyrum Weech, Ross R. Rogers, Samuel J. Sims and Charles Dyer, all of Pima, Graham County, Arizona.

MILTON R. MOORE, Register.

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### Notice for Publication.

**Homestead Entry, No. 1884.**

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ., November 25, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville Arizona, on January 9th, 1899, viz:

Allen F. Barnette, for the E ½ of N W ¼ and S W ¼ of N E ¼, Sec 28, Tp 7 S R 26 E, G. & S. R. M

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Thomas T. Hunter, Edward Allen, Rolley C. Smith and Fred H. McGowan, all of Safford, Graham county, Arizona.

MILTON R. MOORE, Register

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### Notice for Publication.

**Homestead No. 1655.**

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZ October 28, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on December 10th, 1898, viz:

Philemon C. Merrill, father and heir of Peter Merrill, deceased, of Safford Graham County Arizona, for the S W ¼ of N W ¼ Sec 13, Tp 7 S, R 25 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Cicero Morris, Thomas E. Williams, William K. Beebe, of Safford, Arizona, and Joseph McRae Thatcher, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL, Register.

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**Desert Land Final Proof.**

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ. November 14, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville Arizona, on January 31, 1899, viz:

Philander Clark of Central Arizona, on his Desert Land entry No. 2001, for the E ½ of Sec 1 Tp 7 S, R 24 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous adverse possession of said land, viz:

Thomas Clark, James Clark and Charles Clark, all of Central, Arizona, and John H. Clark of Pima, Arizona.

MILTON R. MOORE, Register

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**Desert Land Final Proof.**

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ. November 14, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville Arizona, on December 10, 1898, viz:

Thomas Clark of Central Arizona, on his Desert Land entry No. 2002, for the E ½ of Sec 1 Tp 7 S, R 24 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous adverse possession of said land, viz:

William Clark, William Clark Jr. of Central, Arizona, and Charles Clark of Central, Arizona, and John H. Clark of Pima, Arizona.

MILTON R. MOORE, Register